

COUNCILMEMBER CARL DEMAIO

FIFTH DISTRICT

CITY OF SAN DIEGO

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

December 6, 2010

TO:

Council President Pro Tem Kevin Faulconer

FROM:

Councilmember Carl DeMaio

RE:

Reconsideration of Veto Override of Ordinance No. 0-2011-18 REV. 2

Carl De Mais

Pursuant to Council Rule 2.11.2 and Council Rule 2.3.1, I respectfully request that you place on the agenda for today's Council meeting, under Special Order of Business, the docketing of the Council's reconsideration of the Council's override of Mayor Sanders' veto of Ordinance No. 0-2011-18 REV. 2, "Ordinance to Protect Small and Neighborhood Businesses."

I am requesting this reconsideration of the City Council override of the Mayor's veto for several reasons. First, the Ordinance was not properly vetted by the City's land use experts, as noted by the Planning Commission, the City Council's own Technical Advisory Committee, the City's Code Monitoring Team and the Director of the Development Services Department.

Additionally, the economic and fiscal impacts of the Ordinance were not sufficiently considered in light of the City's severe fiscal condition and the potential for the Ordinance to redirect sales tax revenues to neighboring jurisdictions which do not place impediments to development of superstores.

I appreciate your consideration of my reconsideration request.